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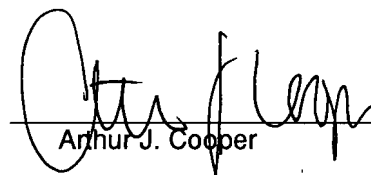
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1. Prior to December 2, 1993, I was informed by Dr. Steven R. Crowley that I was considered to be a joint-inventor of the invention claimed in the above-noted application.
2. On January 6, 1994, Dr. Crowley informed me that a mistake had been made in the preparation of the Declaration and Power of Attorney and the Assignment, the mistake would be corrected in the near future and I would be asked to sign a Declaration and Power of Attorney and an Assignment at that later time.
3. On April 11, 1994, Dr. Crowley invited me to his office to sign a Declaration and Power of Attorney and an Assignment.
4. I believe that the joint-inventors are as now set forth by the inventorship correction.
5. I have no knowledge of other information relevant to the request for correction of inventorship in the above-mentioned application.

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